

MUNICIPAL AND LOCAL FUNDS.

MYSORE CITY MUNICIPALITY.

PROCEEDINGS OF AN ORDINARY MEETING OF THE MUNICIPAL COUNCILLORS
FOR THE CITY OF MYSORE, HELD IN THE RANGACHARLU MEMORIAL
HALL, AT 8 A.M., ON THURSDAY THE 30TH JANUARY 1913.

PRESENT.

1. K. Chandy, Esq., B.A., President.
2. M. G. Krishnasami Rao, Esq., B.A., Vice-President.
3. Doctor V. L. Manker, L.R.C.P. & S. & D.P.H., Health Officer.
4. R. V. Sundaram Iyer, Esq., B.A., B.C.E., Executive Engineer.
5. N. Setwaji Rao, Esq.
6. M. Anantharajaiya, Esq.
7. Mahomed Jaffer Saheb, Esq.
8. V. Tiruvengada Mudaliar, Esq.
9. Madappa, Esq.
10. M. C. Rangiengar, Esq.
11. M. Narasimhaswami, Esq.
12. Jahagirdar Madappa, Esq.
13. A. Subbanna, Esq.
14. Banumaiya, Esq.
15. N. Srikantaiya, Esq.
16. Amble Annaiya Pandit, Esq.
17. M. Venkatakrishnaiya, Esq.
18. H. Seetharamaiya, Esq.
19. Revd. H. Gulliford.

ABSENT.

1. Mahomed Peer, Esq., B.A. (Amildar, Mysore Taluk).

Subjects.

I. Consideration of accounts of receipts and expenditure and other vital statistics for the month of December 1912, together with the auditor's report.

Read and recorded.

Messrs. Banumaiya and Anantharajaiya to be auditors for the next quarter.

II. Proceedings of the Managing, the Health and the Schools' Committees.

Recorded.

III. Correspondence ending with the letter No. 1329, dated 23rd December 1912, from the President, Bangalore City Municipal Council, regarding the levy of a general water rate on shops.

Resolved that for simplifying collection, water rate be levied at $\frac{1}{8}$ th of the (mohatarfa) tax that is being collected on shops.

IV. Government Proceedings No. 1726-1754—10502-10530, dated 25th December 1912, postponing the date from 1st January 1913 to 1st July 1913 to give effect to Order No. 1453-91—9150-88, dated 13th November 1912, passed in the matter of the water-supply to public, charitable and religious institutions in the Cities of Bangalore and Mysore from the Chamarajendra and the Vani Vilas Water Works, respectively.

Recorded.

V. Correspondence ending with the Health Officer's No. 1084, dated 14th December 1912, in the matter of closing the lane to the west of Rajagopalachari's bungalow and making it over free of cost but on certain conditions to Mr. Kaveripatnam Subraya Chetty for converting the same into kitchens for the use of the travelling public.

The Board are of opinion that the lane may be handed over to the applicant, subject to such conditions as regards sanitation as may be imposed by the Health Officer.

VI. Managing Committees' recommendation in the matter of introducing the system of taking out licenses by owners of animals and vehicles in the City.

Resolved that the amendments now proposed by the Sub-Committee be adopted.

VII. D. O. letter No. 106, dated 16th January 1913, from Mr. Y. Aswathana Rayana Rao, Executive Engineer, City Improvement Trust Board, requesting that he be entrusted with the power of issuing building licenses for reasons stated therein.

Resolved that for the present, the change is not desirable as the Engineer is not a servant of the Council but the Engineer may be consulted before issuing license.

VIII. Application from Sowcars P. Thimmaiya and Putta Veerappa, praying for the grant of a piece of vacant land near the Railway Station as specified in the plan for establishing a rice mill.

Resolved that the Municipality have no objection to giving the site to the north of the Empire Hotel and west of the Viceroy's Road as the place is now kept dirty but are not agreeable to giving a site in Jeevanrayan Katte.

IX. Application from rice merchant T. P. Annaiya, Santepet, Mysore, praying for the grant of a vacant bit of ground near the Empire Hotel (as noted in the sketch) for starting a rice mill.

Vide Resolution No. VIII.

X. Introduction of rules similar to those in force in the Kolar Gold Fields, in the matter of taxing and regulating the ownership and custody of dogs within Municipal limits.

This is not necessary for the present.

XI. Health Committee's recommendation on the joint application from the Sub-Registrars of Births and Deaths in the matter of giving an increment of Rs. 2 to their present pay.

Resolved that 9 Sub-Registrars on Rs. 10 be given Rs. 12 and the 3 Sub-Registrars on Rs. 8 be given Rs. 10; the promotion of the remaining 2 Sub-Registrars being considered after they put in longer service.

XII. Health Committee's resolution *re* the entertainment of a rubbish and a night soil cart on Rs. 15 and Rs. 5 per month, respectively, for the Lakshmiapuram Extension.

Resolved that one rubbish cart be hired and that hand carts may be tried as an experiment for removing night soil and the result reported.

XIII. Memo No. 659, dated 3rd October 1912, from the Health Officer, *re* the unauthorised construction by one Subbanna, Palace Khas Ravath in Halladakere.

Resolved that the recommendation of the Health Committee to have the wall demolished be carried out.

XIV. Sub-Committee's report in the matter of including the Vontikoppal road within the Third Maharajakumari's Mansion grounds.

Resolved that the Sub-Committee's recommendations be adopted.

XV. Sub-Committee's memo of amendments proposed to be made in the Municipal Regulation No. VII of 1906.

Resolved that the Sub-Committee's proposals be adopted.

XVI. Propositions from Municipal Councillors Messrs. M. Venkatakrishnaiya and M. C. Rangiengar, *re*:-

- (1) The laying out of extensions in the City and encouraging the construction of houses of different types.
- (2) The construction of additional roads and school houses and markets.
- (3) The giving of house connections with the sewage mains and sub-mains.
- (4) The supply of additional electric lights to the City.
- (5) The control of the distribution of water in the City.
- (6) The making of Primary Education in the City compulsory.
- (7) The establishment of a free Library and Reading Room in the City.

Resolved that a Sub-Committee consisting of the Vice-President, Mr. Rangiengar, Mr. Venkatakrishnaiya, Mr. Gulliford, Mr. Amble Annaiya Pandit, Mr. Seetharamaiya and Mr. Mahomed Jaffer Saheb, be formed for discussing the questions and submitting definite proposals at the next meeting. The question of improving the conservancy of the City may also be discussed by this Committee.

XVII. Draft bye-laws *re* drying cow-dung cakes on the outside walls of houses.

Resolved that the drying of cow-dung cakes on the out-side walls of houses facing public streets, lanes and thoroughfares be prohibited; bye-laws to that effect being framed and submitted.

XVIII. Health Officer's memo requesting for the supply of pails for hand conserved pail system latrines.

Resolved that the purchase of the pails be sanctioned.

XIX. Health Officer's memo regarding the appointment of a Building Committee for the City.

Resolved that a Building Committee be appointed consisting of the Health Officer, Mr. Rangiengar, Mr. Venkatakrishnaiya and the Councillor for the Mohalla. The Committee will submit proposals from time to time for (1) improving insanitary areas, (2) constructing sanitary buildings, rent free buildings, etc., and (3) demolishing insanitary houses or structures built without licenses.

XX. Draft bye-laws relating to daires and cattle sheds.

Deferred to next meeting.

XXI. Proposal from the Health Officer to build model cattle sheds (one in each Mohalla).

Resolved that one model cattle shed for locating 50 cows and she-buffaloes be built in Krishnaraj Mohalla.

XXII. Scheme proposed for the improvement of sanitation, internal and external, of the City as per resolution of the Municipal Council, dated 30th November 1912.

Deferred to next meeting.

XXIII. Indents for blankets, jackets and books, etc., costing about Rs. 578, required for the Isolation Hospital.

Provision may be made now, the articles being purchased when necessary with the sanction of the Health Committee.

XXIV. Proposal to empower the Executive Engineer, City Improvement Division Mysore, to issue notices to owners of houses in the matter of house connections with pipe sewers under Chapter IX of the Municipal and Section 20 of the Trust Board Regulations.

Resolved that the Executive Engineer be empowered to take needful action in the matter under Chapter VII of the Municipal Regulation.

XXV. Docket No. 697, dated 22nd January 1913, from the Chairman, City Improvement Trust Board, forwarding the application of Messrs. A. V. Varadacharlu & Son, Photographers, applying for a site called the "Thulasi Thota."

As Mr. Kaveripatnam Subraya Chetty (who is present by invitation) agrees to convert this to a public park and bathing place at his own cost according to any plan that may be proposed by the Municipality and to hand it over for public use, resolved that this proposal be accepted with thanks, and that the Trust Board Engineer be requested to prepare a plan. Mr. Subraya Chetty agrees also that the Vairamudi festival may take place as usual in this place.

XXVI. Correspondence ending with the Health Officer's No. 882, dated 21st December 1912, in the matter of the application from Dashavathar Mokthesar Seshanna and others praying for the free grant of the vacant land measuring 100×50 yards in the bed of Jeevanarayan Katte for constructing a chatram in the name of his father.

Deferred.

XXVII. Estimate amounting to Rs. 4,361 (with plan) for improving the western side of the Devaraj Market.

Approved.

XXVIII. List of private and Government bungalows attended to by Municipal night soil and rubbish carts.

Deferred.

XXIX. Sub-Committee's report regarding the appointment of Mr. M. A. Appalachar as Municipal Engineer.

Resolved that a further recommendation be made to Government in the matter of appointing Mr. Appalachar, as Municipal Engineer. Mr. Sundaram Iyer says that he has been doing the work satisfactorily and is competent.

XXX. Proposal of Mr. Amble Annaiya Pandit to build a dispensary in Erangere at his own cost.

Resolved that Mr. Amble Annaiya Pandit's proposal to construct a dispensary costing about Rs. 3,000 in Erangere be accepted with thanks.

K. CHANDY,
President.